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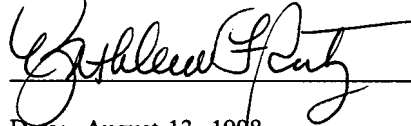
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and Method of Manufacture
Thereof"

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as per attachment A.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-29, 31, 34-41, and 45-82 without prejudice.

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 30

Line 5, after the word "wall", insert the phrase --below said first end of said bag--.

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